

## House Resolution No. 2187

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

**Whereas**, Richard P. Davis, Jr., of St. Louis, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on May 1, 2005, at Assumption Parish Church; and

**Whereas**, Richard, a member of Boy Scout Troop 169, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved landscaping an area next to Assumption Parish Church; and

**Whereas**, during his nine years in Scouting, Richard mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn twenty-one merit badges, the Ad Altare Dei award, the World Conservation Award, and membership in the Order of the Arrow; and

**Whereas**, Richard demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Patrol Leader, Quartermaster, and Order of the Arrow Troop Representative; and

**Whereas**, the son of Rick and Bridget Davis, Richard developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include attending four summer camps and various winter campouts and Fall and Spring Camporees; and

**Whereas**, Richard's attainment of the Eagle rank will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that required considerable dedication and effort:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Richard Davis for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Richard P. Davis, Jr.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Walter R. Bivins  
District No. 97

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 2187, adopted April 14, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker